

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **HB 3365 - SB 3257**

March 4, 2004

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Allows a county or municipality, by resolution or ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote of its legislative body, to establish and implement a plan authorizing the jail or workhouse administrator to charge an inmate a co-pay amount for substance abuse treatment provided to the inmate by the county or municipality by a licensed provider. Currently, jails and workhouses are authorized to charge a co-pay for medical services, treatment, and pharmacy services. Inmates may not be denied services solely on the basis that the inmate is unable to pay the co-pay.

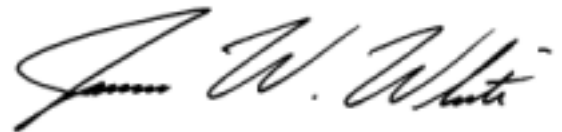
### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Exceeds \$100,000/Permissive**

To the extent local governments adopt the provisions of the bill and collect such fees from inmates, it will result in an increase in local revenues estimated to exceed \$100,000. There are approximately 20,000 inmates in local jails.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director